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RAILWAYS
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RAILWAY CLAIM TRIBUNALS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of railway claim tribunals in Western Railways particularly in Mumbai;

(b) the expenditure incurred on railway claims tribunals in Mumbai during the last three years;

(c) the number of claim cases decided in Mumbai by claim tribunals during the said period;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the total amount of rent paid by the Railways for the offices of claims tribunals during the last three years;

(f) whether there is any plan to construct its own building by Railways; (g) if so, the details thereof, and

(h) if not, the reason therefor?

ANSWER

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) There are three Claims Tribunal Benches over Western Railway i.e. Ahmedabad, Jaipur & Mumbai.

In Mumbai there is only one Bench of Claims Tribunal.

(b) Total expenditure incurred during the last three years in Mumbai Bench of Claims Tribunal is as follows :-

(Figures in thousand rupees)

1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001
3335	3326	3330

(c)& (d): Total claim cases decided during the last three years:-

1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001
341	498	281

(e): Railway Claims Tribunal, Mumbai is paying no rent. The Tribunal is located in the Railway building.

(f): No, Sir.

(g) & (h): Do not arise.